

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claims 1-14 (Canceled).

Claim 15 (Currently Amended): An information processing apparatus comprising:
a server configured to store a program table;

the server further configured to allow a user to select programs on the program table,
the user accessing the server from a remote device through a network; and

the server further configured to transmit data to the remote device of the user based on
the user selections in the program table, the transmitted data being transmitted appended to an
e-mail, and the transmitted data for controlling the recording of a picture at the user remote
device, and including data for specifying a channel, data indicating the date and time for
starting the recording, and data indicating the date and time for terminating the recording to a
picture recording apparatus.

Claim 16 (Previously Presented): The information processing apparatus according to
claim 15, wherein the transmitted data is configured to control the recording of the picture
stated in a text.

Claim 17 (Previously Presented): The information processing apparatus according to
claim 15, wherein the transmitted data is data of a v-calendar system.

Claim 18 (Previously Presented): The information processing apparatus according to
claim 15, wherein the transmitted data comprises text data including the information
specifying the date and time of starting the recording, the recording start date and time

specifying information being stated next to the information indicating the start of the recording reservation data "BEGIN:VCALENDAR", "DTSTART:", the information specifying the date and time of end of recording, the recording end date and time specifying information being stated next to "DTEND:", the information specifying a channel for recording, the channel specifying information being stated next to "LOCATION:", the name of a program for recording, recorded next to "DESCRIPTION:" and the information "END:VCALENDAR" indicating the end of the recording reservation data.

Claim 19 (Previously Presented): An information processing apparatus comprising:
means for storing a program table;
means for allowing a user to select programs on the program table, the user accessing the means for storing from a remote device through a network; and
means for transmitting data to the remote device of the user based on the user selections in the program table, the transmitted data being transmitted appended to an e-mail, and the transmitted data for controlling the recording of a picture at the user remote device, and including data for specifying a channel, data indicating the date and time for starting the recording, and data indicating the date and time for terminating the recording to a picture recording apparatus.

Claim 20 (Previously Presented): The information processing apparatus according to claim 19, wherein the transmitted data is configured to control the recording of the picture stated in a text.

Claim 21 (Previously Presented): The information processing apparatus according to claim 19, wherein the transmitted data is data of a v-calendar system.

Claim 22 (Previously Presented): The information processing apparatus according to claim 19, wherein the transmitted data comprises text data including the information specifying the date and time of starting the recording, the recording start date and time specifying information being stated next to the information indicating the start of the recording reservation data "BEGIN:VCALENDAR", "DTSTART:", the information specifying the date and time of end of recording, the recording end date and time specifying information being stated next to "DTEND:", the information specifying a channel for recording, the channel specifying information being stated next to "LOCATION:", the name of a program for recording, recorded next to "DESCRIPTION:" and the information "END:VCALENDAR" indicating the end of the recording reservation data.

Claim 23 (Currently Amended): An information processing method comprising:
storing a program table;
allowing a user to select programs on the program table, the user accessing the program table from a remote device through a network; and
transmitting data to the remote device of the user based on the user selections in the program table, the transmitted data being transmitted appended to an e-mail, and the transmitted data for controlling the recording of a picture at the user remote device, and including data for specifying a channel, data indicating the date and time for starting the recording, and data indicating the date and time for terminating the recording to a picture recording apparatus.

Claim 24 (Previously Presented): The information processing method according to claim 23, wherein the transmitted data is configured to control the recording of the picture stated in a text.

Claim 25 (Previously Presented): The information processing method according to claim 23, wherein the transmitted data is data of a v-calendar system.

Claim 26 (Previously Presented): The information processing method according to claim 23, wherein the transmitted data comprises text data including the information specifying the date and time of starting the recording, the recording start date and time specifying information being stated next to the information indicating the start of the recording reservation data "BEGIN:VCALENDAR", "DTSTART:", the information specifying the date and time of end of recording, the recording end date and time specifying information being stated next to "DTEND:", the information specifying a channel for recording, the channel specifying information being stated next to "LOCATION:", the name of a program for recording, recorded next to "DESCRIPTION:" and the information "END:VCALENDAR" indicating the end of the recording reservation data.

Claim 27 (Currently Amended): A computer readable medium configured to control a computer to execute an information processing method comprising:

storing a program table;

allowing a user to select programs on the program table, the user accessing the program table from a remote device through a network; and

transmitting data to the remote device of the user based on the user selections in the program table, the transmitted data being transmitted appended to an e-mail, and the

transmitted data for controlling the recording of a picture at the user remote device, and including data for specifying a channel, data indicating the date and time for starting the recording, and data indicating the date and time for terminating the recording to a picture recording apparatus.

Claim 28 (Previously Presented): The computer readable medium according to claim 27, wherein the transmitted data is configured to control the recording of the picture stated in a text.

Claim 29 (Previously Presented): The computer readable medium according to claim 27, wherein the transmitted data is data of a v-calendar system.

Claim 30 (Previously Presented): The computer readable medium apparatus according to claim 27, wherein the transmitted data comprises text data including the information specifying the date and time of starting the recording, the recording start date and time specifying information being stated next to the information indicating the start of the recording reservation data "BEGIN:VCALENDAR", "DTSTART:", the information specifying the date and time of end of recording, the recording end date and time specifying information being stated next to "DTEND:", the information specifying a channel for recording, the channel specifying information being stated next to "LOCATION:", the name of a program for recording, recorded next to "DESCRIPTION:" and the information "END:VCALENDAR" indicating the end of the recording reservation data.